

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace paragraph [00026] of the specification with the following paragraph:

[00026] Figs. 5 and 6 show a windshield wiper device 500 with a wiper bearing 50, a fastening element 51 and a decoupling element 52. The decoupling element 52 includes a hook-shaped end area 55. A disk 53 is arranged between the fastening element 51 and the decoupling element 52. The disk 53 is locked in the upward axial direction by a thickening 54. In the case of an impact, the wiper bearing 50 together with the decoupling element 52 is pressed downward, whereby the disk 53 is pushed over the thickening 54, thereby detaching the lock.